Docket No.: 064903-0023

**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Toshihiko INA, et al.

Application No.: 10/743,305

Filed: December 23, 2003

For: BILL HANDLING MACHINE

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

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Customer Number: 20277

Confirmation Number: 5559

Group Art Unit: 3653

Examiner: M. J. Beauchaine

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Amendment in the above identified application. No additional fee is required. Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 Also attached:

The fee has been calculated	as shown below	w:			
	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	18	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	9	9	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented				\$0.00	
		Fee for extension of time			\$0.00
			-		\$0.00
		Total of Above Calculations		\$0.00	

Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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## SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following Supplemental Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated November 14, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.